THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CHINTAMANI PANIGRAHI): (a) and (b) 5100 cases received by the prescribed last date that are marginal in nature or require screening by Special Committees are pending (State-wise/Category-wise list is given in the attached Statement). (*See* below).

(c) 2927 cases of applicants who had claimed suffering in connection with the liberation movement of erstwhile State of Nizam of Hyderabad and who had submitted their application by the prescribed last date, i.e. 31-3-1982, are pending for scrutiny by the Hyderabad Special Screening Committee. In addition, 4381 applications which had been received during the period from 1-4-1982 to 25-10-1985 and referred to the Committee are also pending scrutiny by it.

(d) The Chairman of the Hyderabad Special Screening Committee has been requested to have the scrutiny of pending applications expedited.

Statement

Total number of applications pending as on 31-1-1987

(i) *Committee Cases.*	
(a) Hyderabad Screening Committee cases (received in time)	2927
(b) Arya Samaj Committee Cases	992
*(ii) Cases of special nature other than Committee cases :	*1181
TOTAL :	5100

**State-wise break up*

1. Andhra Pradesh	97
2. Assam	45
3. Bihar	637
4. Gujarat	4
5. Karnataka	1
6. Kerala	19
7. Madhya Pradesh	148
8. Maharashtra	89
9. Meghalaya	2
10. Tamil Nadu	2
11. Tripura	7
12. West Bengal	55
13. Chandigarh	2
14. Delhi	9
15. Goa	61
16. Pondicherry	
	1181

Presidential form of Government

713. SHRI MUKHTIAR SINGH MALIK:
SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to amend the Constitution of India for adopting Presidential form of Government in the country; and

(b) if so, what are the broad outlines of the proposal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CHINTAMANI PANIGRAHI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Meeting of Islands Development Authority

714. SHRI SHANKER SINH VAGHELA: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether he had participated in the meeting of Islands Development Authority on December 27 last, wherein a package of schemes for the development of Andaman, Nicobar and